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TO AMEMBASSY BRUSSELS

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FOLLOWING REPEAT LONDON 10497 ACTION SECSTATE INFO  
MOSCOW PARIS ROME TEL AVIV MONTREAL USUN NEW YORK  
13 SEPT

QUOTE

C O N F I D E N T I A L LONDON 10497

ROME FOR AMBASSADOR ROUNTREE

MONTREAL FOR US REP ICAO

E.O. 11652: XGDS-1

TAGS: ICAO, ETRN

SUBJECT: ICAO AIR SECURITY CONFERENCE: ISRAELI LETTER

1. WE BUMPED INTO NEW ISRAELI DCM KADER AS WE WERE  
ENTERING FCO ASST. UNDERSECRETARY PARSONS' OFFICE  
SEPT12. ACCORDING TO PARSONS ISRAELIS HAD JUST BEEN  
PRESSING HIM FOR BRITISH SUPPORT ON ISRAELI LETTER,  
THROUGH KADER WAS UNCLEAR WHETHER OR NOT SUBJECT WOULD  
BE PUT FORMALLY ON ICAO CONFERENCE AGENDA.

2. PARSONS SAID HIS REPLY HAD BEEN THAT BRITISH HAVE  
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FOUND FOREIGN-MADE WEAPONS IN IRISH TERRORIST HANDS

BUT WOULD NEVER ACCUSE NATIONS WHICH HAVE OR MANUFACTURE  
THEM ON THAT BASIS ALONE. ITALY IS STILL INVESTIGATION  
ROCKET LAUNCHER INCIDENT, AND IS IS UP TO ITALY TO  
INFORM ICAO OF FINDINGS AND ANY ACTION RECOMMENDED. IF  
THIS HAD HAPPENED IN BRITAIN, AND ICAO CONFERENCE  
STARTED PASSING RESOLUTIONS WHILE BRITISH INVESTIGATION  
STILL UNDERWAY, BRITISH WOULD RESENT IT. HMG WILL  
RESPECT ITALIAN LEGAL PROCESSES.

3. PARSONS SAID KADER WAS NOT OVERJOYED, BUT HE SEEMED  
TO TAKE THIS REPLY IN STRIDE.  
SOHM UNQUOTE RUSH

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